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STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF INTERVIEW

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is to provide documentation of a December 30, 2009 Telephone Interview between Examiner Janelle Combs Morillo and the undersigned Applicants' representative regarding an outstanding Final Office Action, mailed August 3, 2009.

- (A) Exhibit(s) shown or demonstration conducted: None.
- (B) Claims discussed: 1, 22 and 23.
- (C) Prior art discussed: "Aluminum and Aluminum Alloys".
- (D) Proposed amendments of a substantive nature discussed not already described on an Interview Summary form completed by the examiner: None.
- (E) General thrust of the principal arguments of the applicant: Certain aspects of Applicants' claimed invention distinguish patentably over the applied references.
- (F) General indication of any other pertinent matters discussed: N/A

- (G) General results or outcome of the interview: An agreement with respect to the claims was not reached.
- (H) Was interview via electronic mail, if so, a paper copy of the Internet e-mail contents is attached hereto: N/A

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge to Deposit Account No. 50-1165 (T2211-906224) any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 that may be required by this paper and to credit any overpayment to that Account. If any extension of time is required in connection with the filing of this paper and has not been separately requested, such extension is hereby requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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